

# THE MIRROR JOURNAL

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## LOCAL NEWS

Rev. Holton was in Edmonton for several days this week.

Arthur Price was taken to Edmonton on Monday to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Pym Bros., of Mirror, shipped four heifers to Viking, Alta., on Wednesday.

Good Friday passed off quite well with the exception of the prairie fire which was the only excitement around town.

Mr. and Mrs. Summer Clark arrived in town on Monday from the States. They intend to go farming on their homestead.

Several of the soldier boys were up from Red Deer and Calgary spending their Easter holiday.

Rev. Geo. F. Devere, chairman of the Lutheran district will occupy the Methodist Church pulpit next Sunday evening.

M. Mecklenburg, M.A., eye specialist will be in Mirror at the Imperial Hotel on Thursday, April 15th, Alis, 16th; Bashaw, April 14th.

If you have the lumber, we have the machinery—Band Saw Circular and Planing work done, also all classes of engines overhauled. Mirror Blacksmithing and Tinsmithing Works, Carroll Avenue, Bill Johnson, proprietor.

Mrs. Church, of Toronto, is visiting with her sister Mrs. E. M. Hutchinson.

Molly Mackieley was in Calgary for several days this week visiting her brother James who is with the second contingent.

Miss Cassidy left on Monday for Calgary where she will attend the teachers convention which is being held in that city.

The Womans Guild of Mirror will hold a Sale of Fancy made goods on Friday, May 7th. Look out for bills later.

Rev. Hugh Dobson, field secretary for Social Service and Evangelism will deliver a lecture on "Science, Economics and Alcoholism" in the Methodist Church on Thursday, April 15th at 8 o'clock in the evening. The lecture will be illustrated by lantern slides.

The voluntary aid of Mirror have sent the following articles to the Red Cross Society in Calgary.

15 Pairs Wristlets  
32 Flannellette Night Shirts  
12 Flannel Shirts  
12 Cotton Blinders  
44 Face Cloths  
3 Pairs Bed Slippers  
18 Hot Water Bottle covers  
4 Flannel Bandages  
2 Pneumonia Jackets  
Since the above shipment left Mirror the secretary of the aid has received a letter acknowledging receipt of goods and wishes to thank all members.

## MIRROR GUN CLUB

On Thursday afternoon, April 15th, 1915, at 3 o'clock The Mirror Gun Club will hold the first shoot of the season at their trap, immediately after which will be held a meeting of the members to elect new officers for the year 1915-16 and

also to discuss a few important questions in regard to the club and the possession of the Championship Cup held by Mirror. The club is desirous of obtaining as many new members this year as possible and would invite all to visit their traps and break a few pigeons next Thursday afternoon.

## FINANCIAL STATEMENT

OF THE  
Village of Mirror, Alberta

For the year ending December 31st, 1914

To The Reeve and Council of the Village of Mirror, Gentlemen,

I have examined the books of accounts, receipts and expenditures of the Village of Mirror with the relative vouchers, since the date of the previous audit until the 31st December 1914, and have found them to be

correct and that the expenditures have been made according to law without exception.

Subjoined is a synopsis of receipts and expenditures, together with a statement of assets and liabilities as at the above date.

P. M. CARMICHAEL,  
Official Auditor.

RECEIPTS	
Cash on hand Nov. 1st, 1913	\$ 2,000.22
Municipal Taxes collected	10,363.48
School Taxes collected	7,138.38
Borrowed during period covered	200.00
Costs collected from tax enforcement proceedings	591.40
Searches	—
Dog taxes	35
Pool Hall licenses	54.00
Livery	12.00
Draying	30.00
Show	1.25
Refund from Registrar re Tax enforcement return	87.50
Taxes overpaid (Refunded to senders)	75.40
Total Receipts	\$ 21,615.97

EXPENDITURES	
Officials' Salaries	\$ 1,355.00
School District No. 492	5,000.00
Paid on promissory notes	2,000.00
Building account (altering and repaving municipal premises)	1,052.25
Cost of Cemetery property	180.00
Surveying	100.00
Furniture and furnishings	185.70
Stationery, printing, advertising and postage	267.38
Tools etc. (Sawyers, 1 plow, 1 slip)	252.80
Grading and ditching	2,115.17
Lumber and side-walk construction	2,047.22
Repairs to side-walks	5.90
Fire equipment (Hydrants, hose, reel etc.)	359.31
Light	13.30
Caretaking	5.75
Charity	102.50
All other purposes	1,505.21
Total Expenditure	18,581.47
Balance of Cash on hand	2,054.20
	\$ 21,615.97

## Statement of Assets and Liabilities of the Village of Mirror as at 31st December 1914

ASSETS	
Cash on hand, per statement	\$2,054.20
Halpany surplus	42.57
Real Estate	\$ 2,047.07
Buildings	832.00
Office furnishings, etc. per inventory	193.40
Fire equipment	425.80
Police equipment	265.31
Grading equipment	24.15
Sidewalks	216.49
Arrears of taxes, per 1914 Tax Enforcement return	82,190.04
" " 1915 Return	3,063.02
Total Assets	\$112,720.54
LIABILITIES	
Due to School District, No. 492	\$ 1,064.50
" " Sundry parties	23.21
Surplus	\$ 1,088.70
Total Liabilities	11,496.45
	\$101,224.09

## Piano Contest

The Mirror Journal will give the following number of Votes on the Piano Contest at Duitman & Johnson store, as follows:—

25,000 Votes for a New Subscription  
15,000 " for a Renewal Subscription  
5 " for ever cent on Job Printing  
5 " for every cent on Advertising

Cut out this Coupon, and present it at Duitman & Johnson's store and they will exchange it for 100 Votes on the Piano Contest.  
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## South Buffalo Lake School Report For March

Grade VIII—Ovella Suran, 98; Annie Lofstrand, 98; Esther Suran, 96; Eva Kerr, 94; Elsie Suran, 92.  
Grade VII—Roy Sells, 84; Robt. Fell, 80.  
Grade VI—Mary Lofstrand, 96; Jane Fell, 94; Pearl Graham, 94; Martha Marshall, 90.  
Grade IV—Valian Sells, 98.  
Grade III—Myron Suran, 80; Floyd Sells, 83; Violet Sells, 80.  
Grade I—Jas. Marshall, Roy Marshall, Ray Marshall.  
Average for month 76.5.  
ALFRED MILLER, Teacher.

100,000 Votes for your Renewal

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An immense area of the most fertile land in Western Canada for sale at low prices and easy terms, ranging from \$1.00 to \$30.00 for 160 acre land with ample rainfall—irrigated lands from \$3.00. Terms—One Twentieth down, balance within twenty years. Irrigation districts, loan for farm buildings, etc., up to \$2,000, also payable in twenty years—interest only 4 per cent. Here is your opportunity to increase your farm holdings by getting adjoining land, or secure your friends as neighbors.  
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S. F. CAMERON, Gen'l Supt. of Lands  
Dept. of Natural Resources C.P.R.  
CALGARY ALBERTA  
23-13-00.

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To Whom it May Concern  
That all Persons owing  
THE MIRROR HARDWARE  
COMPANY  
Are Requested to Call and settle their accounts not later than APRIL 15th, 1915. Otherwise not Settled will be placed in the hands of Solicitor for Collection.

H. KEISEL

## Formaldehyde

Formaldehyde or Formalin is very scarce and dearer this year and I was successful in securing a quantity in both bottles and bulk. Absolutely guaranteed to be full strength.  
Bulk 5 lbs. for \$1.00  
Bulk 10 lbs. for \$1.75  
Sealed bottles 25c a lb. (Bring your own containers for Bulk)  
Full strength Formalin cannot reasonably be sold at a lower price this year.  
Special sale of Royal Crown Toilet Soap & Bars for 25c. This is best Soap Bargain ever offered in Mirror.

Feed needs in bulk or packages at Catalogue Prices—Heunies, Ferrys, McKeisles.

Feed your horses INTERNATIONAL STOCK FOOD for the hard spring work.—It will pay you.

BLACKLEG VACCINE FOR YOUR CATTLE  
\$1.00 for 10 doses. Injectors \$1.25  
Compare these Prices with Eatons

CHAS. SUGGETT Mirror, Alta.

## THE CANADIAN BANK OF COMMERCE

SIR EDMUND WALKER, C.V.O., L.L.D., D.C.L., President  
ALEXANDER LAIRD, General Manager JOHN AIRD, Asst. General Manager  
V. C. BROWN, Superintendent of Central Western Branches

CAPITAL, \$15,000,000 RESERVE FUND, \$13,500,000

## FARMERS' BUSINESS

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T. S. LITTLE, Manager Mirror Branch

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At last we have secured a boot that cannot be beaten, one that we can guarantee will give you wear, they are made by  
THE J. LECKIE CO., LTD.

Next time any of the Children require boots come in and let us show them to you.

## GROCERIES

Some Special Prices for this week

## Panrucker & Holland

Mirror and Alis







## NEVIS

Harvie Anderson Hol Kirk visited his brother Dave during the week.

Thos. D. Moore, postmaster, has accepted the Secy. Treasurer-ship of Hayes Township with headquarters at Delburne. We are sorry to miss his genial face from its accustomed place. We extend our congratulations to Hayes Tp. on securing so well qualified a man. Our loss is their gain.

Miss Annie and Nellie Malin have moved to town. Miss Annie is taking over the work at the post office.

R. Pugh had the misfortune to break a small bone in his ankle last week while hauling wood and will be laid up for several weeks.

Alfred Miller teacher at South Buffalo Lake School spent the Easter holidays in Calgary and remained over for the teacher's convention.

Some ten car loads of post-has gone east during the winter from our station.

R. E. Kerr and Isaac Diggle-worth have erected substantial buildings during the week.

A straw vote was taken amongst the few citizens of our town re a successor to Mr. Moore at the post office, their choice was Miss Malin. Why the people in the country were not consulted in the matter did not appear to worry them.

Alberta Government Telephone new regulation. Positively no credit given to non subscribers, and subscribers must pay their phone call promptly at end of each month or service will be discontinued, also rentals must be paid in advance.

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Trying for  
the  
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### Lighting of Mirror ELECTRIC VS. OIL

In view of the absorbing interest taken in the electric light a gentleman of great experience is engaged in making the fullest investigations into the relative merits of Electricity and oil as illuminants. The installation of electricity as a light is very imperfectly understood, but should a trial in Mirror be a success, then the question of Electric Lighting of the whole town will immediately arise, to enable property owners, Tradesmen and General Public to have a fair opinion. The gentleman will be in a position, from observation and enquiries at the principal electric works in Canada and the cities and towns where the electric light is used, to produce in the simplest manner possible, all the information regarding the pro and con of Electricity and oil that can be obtained; thus the powers and people will have an opportunity of forming a correct judgment of electricity vs. oil. Issuing "light" on any subject, the gentleman advises all people to use that penetrating searchlight, clear foresight and they will discover that *Flaming, Illuminating, Blacksmithing and general engineering in done in Mirror by Bill Johnson on Carrol Avenue, W. G. Merkle's old stand. You cannot miss the sign! Every case of repairs done. Estimates given.*

## VILLAGE COUNCIL

The regular meeting of the Village Council was held in the Secretary's office on Monday evening, April 5th, 1915. Present: Reeves, H. J. Raymer, Philip Neis, J. H. Duitman.

The following bill were allowed to be paid.

Telephone ..... \$ .30  
Western Municipal News 5.98  
J. M. Carmichael ..... 25.00  
" " " " " " 16.00  
H. J. Raymer ..... 5.00  
Mirror S. D. No. 492 ..... 129.00

That notices re 1915 Tax Enforcement return and 1914 fee-free notices be sent to Alberta Gazette and that cheque be drawn to cover the cost of advertising.

That taxes on Lot 18 block 103 Mirror amounting to \$2.41 which had been paid in error be refunded to John Stewart.

That the application of W. Marshall for the position of constable, health inspector, fire chief and caretaker at a salary of \$40 a month be accepted.

That the auditors report for 1914 as read, be adopted and filed.

That the auditors report for 1914 be condensed and a synopsis published in local paper.

The secretary was instructed to notify the business people of Mirror that it was contrary to the Village bylaw to erect hitching posts or place rings in the side walks for the purpose of tethering animals, and to request their removal at once.

That the court of revision for the 1914 assessment be held at 2 p. m. on Thursday, July 15th, 1915.

That the Council take whatever steps they deem necessary in the way of fencing, decorating, &c. to put the Mirror Cemetery in proper shape. It was thought advisable that the health inspector be instructed to make a tour of inspection of all premises in the Village and if found in an unsanitary condition to order a clean up at once as a precaution against fire and disease.

That Edgar Stevenson be appointed pound keeper of dogs. All stray dogs without a 1915 tag to be kept two days and then disposed of.

### CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

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Good Apples, per box 1.65

No. 1 Lemons, at per doz. .20

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Men's Fine Tweed Caps at

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## Shoes For All

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Scribblers - 3 for 10c

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